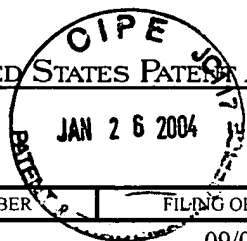




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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

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Application No.: 10/655.789

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For: Method for Making a Prepreg

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I. This replies to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (PTO-1533) mailed December 4, 2003.

A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted (Form PTO-1533) is enclosed.

DECLARATION OR OATH

II. No declaration or oath was filed. Enclosed is the original declaration or oath for this application.

SMALL ENTITY STATUS

III. An assertion that this filing is by a small entity.

CERTIFICATE OF FIRST CLASS MAILING (37 C.F.R. Section 1.10/1.8(a))

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Date: 1/22/04


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COMPLETION FEES

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1.	Surcharge Fees	
	Late payment of filing fee	
	and/or late filing of original	
	declaration or oath	
	(37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e))	\$65.00
	Total Completion Fees	\$65.00

EXTENSION OF TIME

V. The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) apply.

Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

TOTAL FEE DUE

VI. The total fee due is:

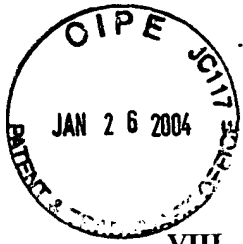
Completion fees	\$65.00
Extension fee (if any)	\$0.00
Total Fee Due	\$65.00

PAYMENT OF FEES

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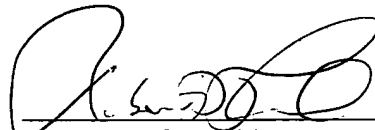
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